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**UTILITY
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Specification	Total Pages	43
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<p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy)</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) <i>(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)</i></p> <p>i. <input type="checkbox"/> <u>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</u> Signed Statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).</p>			
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9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

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	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	27-20 =	7	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 126.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	8-3 =	5	X \$ 80.00 =	\$ 400.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))			\$270.00 =	\$ 0.00
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))	\$ 710.00
				Total of above Calculations =	\$ 1236.00
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).				
				TOTAL =	\$ 1236.00

19. Small entity status

- a. A small entity statement is enclosed
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- c. Is no longer claimed.

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